

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

1. STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Plaintiff,

v.

**1. MIGUEL CARDONA, in his
official capacity as the Secretary of
Education; and**

**2. UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT
OF EDUCATION;**

Defendants.

Case No. 24-CV-00461-JD

PLAINTIFF’S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE LIMIT

Plaintiff, the State of Oklahoma, respectfully requests an Order permitting it to file a Motion for Preliminary Injunction and Opening Brief in Support (“Motion for Preliminary Injunction”) in excess of the page limitation set forth in LCvR 7.1(e). In support of its Motion, Plaintiff alleges and states as follows:

1. Plaintiff filed its Complaint on May 6, 2024 [Dkt. 1]. Plaintiff intends to file a Motion for Preliminary Injunction on June 28, 2024, requesting that a Final Rule published in the Federal Register, *Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Financial Assistance*, 89 Fed. Reg. 33,474 (Apr. 29, 2024), be enjoined from going into effect on August 1, 2024.

2. LCvR 7.1(e) states that briefs submitted to this Court shall not exceed 25 pages unless otherwise authorized by the Court.

3. Plaintiff is preparing to file its Motion for Preliminary Injunction and anticipates that the final brief will be approximately thirty (30) pages, exceeding the limit by five (5) pages. Plaintiff is making every effort to be as concise as possible, but requests leave for additional pages to more thoroughly address numerous legal issues presented by the Final Rule.

4. Defendants have been served with the Summons and Complaint in this matter but have not yet entered an appearance. However, counsel for Plaintiff has contacted the attorney in the Department of Justice who will represent Defendants, and Defendants do not object to the relief requested herein.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff respectfully requests leave to file its Motion for Preliminary Injunction in excess of twenty-five (25) pages, but not to exceed thirty (30) pages.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that on this 27th day of June 2024, the foregoing instrument was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system. Since counsel for the Defendants have yet to enter an appearance in this matter, Plaintiff's Counsel will serve a copy of this motion on the Defendants in accordance with F.R.C.P.

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